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TO JAMES R CARTER

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FOLLOWING RECEIVED FROM BUDAPEST OCT 28.

1. BEGIN TEXT: IN ONE OF THOSE RARE OCCURRENCES WHERE GOOD THINGS COME IN BUNDLES, MEETING OF JOINT ECONOMIC COUNCIL WILL COINCIDE WITH A CHEMICAL TECHNICAL SALES SEMINAR IN BUDAPEST SPONSORED BY U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE. UNIVERSAL OIL PRODUCTS AND AMERICA LCYNAMID, BOTH MEMBERS OF JOINT COUNCIL, WILL PARTICIPATE IN SEMINAR. ON NOV 13, JUST TWO DAYS LATER, HUNGARIANS ARE SENDING A TRADE/PURCHASING MISSION HEADED BY DEPUTY MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRY LASZLO HORVATH TO THE UNITED STATES TO INVESTIGATE POSSIBILITIES FOR INCREASED COOPERATION IN CHEMICAL FIELD.

2. THIS SITUATION PRESENTS A RARE OPPORTUNITY. IF YOU CONCUR, I PROPOSE TO HOST A RECEPTION (WITH WIVES) AT EMBASSY RESIDENCE MONDAY EVENING, NOV 10, FOR ALL THREE GROUPS, HUNGARIANS AND AMERICANS. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN ME AS CO-HOST I WOULD BE HONORED; THE COMPANIES PARTICIPATING IN THE TECHNICAL SALES SEMINAR WILL DEFRAY A PORTION OF THE COSTS. MR. KALLOS ALSO THINKS THIS A SOUND IDEA AND HAS GRACIOUSLY AGREED TO REARRANGE HIS SCHEDULE AND GIVE HIS RECEPTION FOR THE JOINT ECONOMIC COUNCIL ON NOV 11.

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3. IT SEEMS TO ME THAT SUCH A JOINT RECEPTION ON NOV 10

WILL AFFORD MANY BUSY HUNGARIANS AND EQUALLY BUSY AMERICANS  
WITH KINDRED AND OVERLAPPING INTERESTS A VALUABLE OPPOR-  
TUNITY TO GET TO KNOW EACH OTHER AND TO EXCHANGE VIEWS  
IN AN INFORMAL SETTING. THAT APPEARS TO BE THE VERY BEST  
WAY, AS I SEE IT, TO MAKE USE OF THE CONFINED TIME AND  
LIMITED RESOURCES AVAILABLE TO YOU AND YOUR ASSOCIATES  
AND TO YOUR COUNTERPARTS HERE IN HUNGARY WHO SHARE YOUR  
INTERESTS AND ARE OPERATING UNDER SIMILAR CONSTRAINTS.  
IF YOU CONCUR, WE SHALL IMMEDIATELY PREPARE GUEST LISTS  
AND SEND OUT INVITATIONS. MR. KALLOS WOULD LIKE TO KNOW  
IF THIS PROPOSAL IS ACCEPTABLE SO THAT HE TOO CAN MAKE  
APPROPRIATE ARRANGEMENTS.

4. PLEASE LET ME KNOW THROUGH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
IF THIS PROPOSAL MEETS YOUR APPROVAL. END TEXT.

WARM REGARDS AMBASSADOR MCAULIFFE  
BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

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